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PATENT APPLICATION

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

S. Kim

Group Art Unit: 1723

Examiner:

In re the Application of

Keizoh KAWAGUCHI

Application No.: 10/073,027

Filed: February 12, 2002

For: DIALYZING APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	
TOTAL CLAIMS	*19 MINUS	**20	=0	
INDEP CLAIMS	*6 MINUS	***3	=3	
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Check No. 149406 in the amount of \$258.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: December 18, 2003



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Sir:

In reply to the July 18, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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